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September 23-30, 1916

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Automobile Manufacturer Says
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San Francisco, Cal., Sept. 14.—Henry Ford, noted automobile manufacturer and humanitarian and a life-long republican, stated here today that he and his neighbors were for President Wilson because they constantly see so much good in the things he is doing. An interview with him was published in the San Francisco Bulletin and attracted wide attention.

In part, it is as follows: "Because of the many good things President Wilson has done, I think he should be commended and heartily appreciated. I don't want to draw a parallel between the professions and the aims of the republican and democratic parties.

In fact, the present trip of mine is purely a private one and mostly for recreation. I had hoped to avoid any newspaper publicity. I do not desire to talk politics.

"Every neighbor you meet will tell you of the good things in the administration of President Wilson. I feel just as these people do about what he has done and realize keenly that his great neutrality policy during the European war has had the full result of keeping this country at peace.

"The efforts of his opponents to try and make political capital because of President Wilson's determination not to measure swords with poor, deluded Mexico have already ended in distinct failure."

Don't toss a nickel into the collection box and then expect St. Peter to pass you through the pearly gates. Peter is no cheap guy.

GENERAL NOTES.

A government statistician found that about 1,500 persons are struck by lightning in the United States every year, of whom about 500 are killed.

Practically complete returns from Friday's election assure the adoption of prohibition and woman suffrage in British Columbia. The Liberals won an overwhelming victory and will control the next legislature, 330 to 14.

Brig. Gen. Basil Wilson Duke, Confederate veteran, died in New York Saturday. General Duke was 76 years old. He was born in Kentucky and was widely known as a lawyer in Louisville and was the author of many books on the Civil War.

The headsman's ax was used in Berlin Saturday in putting to death Johanna Ullman, one of two participants in a murder there last March. Her woman accomplice in the crime, in which a girl friend of the two was choked, robbed and cut up, is awaiting beheading.

Jacob S. Coxey of Massillon, O., who led Coxey's Army of unemployed on a long march to Washington twenty years ago, filed papers with the Ohio secretary of state Friday as an independent candidate for United States senator. Coxey is the only independent candidate for office on the Ohio ticket.

Lady Eglantine, the wonder of the poultry world and the pride of the Eglantine farms at Queensboro, Md., is dead. Lady Eglantine for many years has been the most famous hen in the world. Her supremacy goes back to the time that she laid 315 eggs in her pullet year. She easily won every prize for which she has competed at poultry shows.

Kansas lost 192,386 hogs from cholera in the year ending March 1, 1916, according to a report issued from the office of the secretary of the state board of agriculture. This is the first time in the history of the state that definite information of this nature has been available. The number of hogs that died of all diseases in the year was 228,423.

Judge Thomas F. Scully of the Cook county, Illinois, county court decided that voters need not give their ages when registering. Earlier in the day the judge ruled that women need not give their ages, women having filed a protest against the procedure. After that decision the question as applicable to men voters was formally presented to Judge Scully.

The Ford motor company has announced that the annual bonus, usually made at Christmas, will be distributed at once. Eight hundred and fifty thousand dollars will go to employees as a reward for their services. Approximately 1,800 foremen, superintendents and heads of departments, 100 in the office and 250 in the branches, will share in the bonus. The million is \$125,000 greater than last year.

Three armed men who entered the saloon of Joseph F. Schart in Chicago fled when an intoxicated man who had been asleep at a table awakened and reached for his hip pocket. The latter drew forth a whiskey bottle. One of the would-be robbers fired one shot at the man with the bottle as the three hastily made their way to a motor car outside. They probably knew that a bottle of whiskey was about as dangerous as a gun.

According to a wireless message from the British cruiser Lancaster to the French cruiser Conde, the German merchant submarine Bremen was caught in a net in the English channel in August. The two warships were near Panama when the message was sent. German agents say "another submarine" is en route to America and insist that the reported sinking of the Bremen is a hoax. They claim the Bremen will yet reach an American port.

Seedless Watermelons.

Henry County watermelon raisers might try the stunt of raising seedless watermelons next year. A Johnson county grower says that it is easy. He just throws some dirt on a vine causing it to root some distance from the original roots. All melons which grow beyond this second rooting are seedless.—Clinton Democrat.

APIARY DISPLAY TO BE MISSOURI FAIR FEATURE

All Stages of Bee Industry Will Be Shown at Sedalia.

Beekeeping is becoming a profitable sideline for the Missouri farmer and many are going extensively into bee culture and finding that when the bees are kept right and given the same attention that is given to other branches of farm industry that they pay very well. Missouri has plenty of flowers from which the bees can gather sweetness, and honey always finds a ready market.

Those who are interested in this industry should not miss the apiary display at the Missouri State Fair at Sedalia, Sept. 23-30. All stages of bee culture will be shown, from the wild bees in their native state to those bees that are raised for profit on the Missouri farm.

One of the interesting features in this department at the fair this year will be a "bee tree," which is a hollow trunk of a tree that a colony of wild bees confiscated for their store house.

This display will be transported from Independence, Mo., where it was discovered by a farmer, and will be placed in a glass case through which the visitors can see these busy little creatures as they are in their natural environment.

In the display of domesticated bees, there will be a number of glass hives where the bees can be observed as they work on various models. There will also be a number of exhibits showing the kinds of honey that are secured from various Missouri flowers.

In this regard it might be said that by feeding the bees on certain kinds of flowers, a variety of colored honey can be obtained. Realizing this, a clever beekeeper has made a county map of Missouri showing all of the 114 counties in different colors of honey.

Modeling in wax will also be a feature in this department. Busts of the two presidential candidates, Woodrow Wilson and Charles Evan Hughes, will be there, modeled in wax.

Andrew Jackson Sellers Dead.

Andrew J. Sellers, an old resident of Bates county, died at his home, near Nyhart, Thursday of Bright's disease.

The deceased was born in Polk county, Illinois, November 14, 1835 and has been a resident of this county for about thirty-five years. He is survived by a widow and five children, Henry Sellers and Mrs. Thomas Dunlap, of Nyhart, R. M. Sellers, Mountair, New Mexico, Sylvester Sellers, Rosewell, New Mexico, and Mrs. Anna Richardson, Oakland, California. Besides the wife and children he leaves two sisters, Mrs. Mattie Von Engle of Kansas City, Mo., and Mrs. Mollie Blondell of Los Angeles, Cal. Mr. Sellers came to Missouri in the fall of 1884 and settled on a farm in Bates county where with the exception of five years he made his home. He was a good neighbor and a true friend in time of need, a firm believer in a supreme being and spent his last hours in communion with his Lord. Thus again the ranks of our older settlers have been invaded and the spirit of an esteemed citizen, husband, father and brother has gone from among us.

Funeral services were conducted at the home Friday by Rev. Lewis Keele and interment made in Oak Hill cemetery.

Price of Hogs Breaks All Records At \$11.15.

All high price records for hogs in Kansas City were broken Saturday morning, when a car load of porkers at the stock yards sold for \$11.15 a hundred. The previous high price was a few weeks ago, when hogs brought \$11.10 shortly before the threatened railroad strike. The high price this morning was said to be due to the scarcity of hogs on the market. Only about 5,000 head were available.

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